



# St. Jerome's Parish

## RENEW FOR MISSION

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**Administrator:** Fr. Fraser McLaren | **Associate Pastor:** Fr. Gomi Fernando

**Deacon:** Rev. Mr. Norbert Aquino | **Office Manager:** Rocelyn Esposo

**Youth Minister:** Perla Sayah

### Office Hours

Monday to Friday: 9 a.m. - 8 p.m. (closed for lunch, 12 - 1 p.m.)  
Sunday: 8 a.m. - 1:30 p.m. (Between the Mass times, not during Mass)

### Sunday Masses

Saturday Vigil: 5 p.m.  
Sunday: 8 a.m., 10 a.m., 12 p.m. & 6 p.m.

### Weekday Masses

Monday to Saturday: 9 a.m.  
Wednesday & Friday: 7 p.m.

### Confession

Monday to Saturday: 8:30 a.m. - 8:50 a.m.  
Wednesday & Friday: 6:30 p.m. - 6:50 p.m.  
No confession on weekends and major feast days.

### Welcome New Parishioners!

Please introduce yourselves to the priests after Mass and fill out our parish registration form and pick up a box of offertory envelopes. We are a vibrant community of faith and we hope you will feel a part of our parish family. Would you like to join any ministry? Please contact the ministry you are interested in.

### Sacrament of Baptism

Baptisms take place on Sundays, twice a month. Parents must participate in a preparation class before setting a date for their child's baptism. A baptismal registration form is available at the parish office on Sunday. Parents must be registered parishioners, for a minimum of six months, using offertory envelopes.

### Sacrament of Marriage

Couples planning to be married must contact one of the priests at least one year in advance. One must be a registered parishioner, using offertory envelopes. A date for the wedding will be set at the couple's first interview with the priest. A marriage course is required. For more information call the parish office.

### Funeral

Please contact the Church before making plans with the Funeral home.

### RCIA

The RCIA program (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults, is a process designed for adults who wish to become Catholic or complete their Sacraments of Initiation (Baptism, Eucharist, and Confirmation). Candidates meet weekly for lectures from September to Easter, and journey along other candidates, mature Catholics who act as mentors, and the program teachers. Interested candidates, please contact the parish office.

### Adoration Chapel

Open daily from 8 a.m. - 8 p.m. All are welcome for quiet time, prayer and reflections with Our Lord.

### Parish Ministries

Altar Servers	sj.altarservers8530@gmail.com
Baptism Preparation Ministry	sj.baptismprepministry@gmail.com
Bereavement Ministry	sjbereavementministry@gmail.com
Children's Liturgy	childrensliturgy8530@gmail.com
Decoration Ministry	sjdecorations.ministry@gmail.com
EEMHC	sj.ministerscommunion8530@gmail.com
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Ministers of Care	sjc.pcnursinghomes@gmail.com
Mothers & Toddlers	sj.momsandtots8530@gmail.com
RCIA	RCIAsp8530@gmail.com
Sacristans	sjsacristans8530@gmail.com
St. Jerome's Cave	sjthecave@gmail.com
St. Jerome's Guild	coming soon
Youth Ministry	stjerome.youthministry@archtoronto.org

### Catholic Organizations

CWL	sjcw18530@gmail.com
Couples for Christ	sj.couplesforchrist8530@gmail.com
Knights of Columbus	17394gk@gmail.com
Legion of Mary	sj.legionofmarypraesidium8530@gmail.com
Rosary Apostolates	therosaryapostolate8530@gmail.com
St. Vincent de Paul	ssvpstjerome@gmail.com

**Interested in joining any ministries/organizations? Please contact the respective ministry/organization using their designated email address.**

### Parish Committees

Building Advisory Committee  
Finance Committee  
Volunteer Screening Committee

### Parish Elementary Schools

Our Lady of Peace, 15 Fincham Dr.	905-452-7010
Pauline Vanier, 56 Oaklea Blvd.	905-455-1001
St. Alphonsa, 60 Olivia Marie Rd.	905-456-1403
St. Brigid, 81 Torrance Woods	905-454-0316
St. Jacinta Marto, 40 Fallowfield Rd.	905-459-1931
St. Jean-Marie Vianney, 75 Jordenson Dr.	905-497-6888
St. Joseph, 8 Parkway Ave.	905-451-8501
St. Monica, 60 Sterritt Dr.	905-454-6346

### Parish High Schools

St. Augustine, 27 Drinkwater Rd.	905-450-9993
St. Roch, 200 Valleyway Dr.	905-456-8543

### Saint Vincent de Paul Helpline:

**365-987-4162**

(Must reside within the parish boundaries)



# RENEW *for* MISSION

ST. JEROME'S PARISH

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27 YEARS

## MASS INTENTIONS

March 1<sup>st</sup> – 7<sup>th</sup>

**Sunday, 12 p.m.**

† Leandro & Emilia Darlucio

**Sunday, 6 p.m.**

TK – Danny Barena

**Monday, 9 a.m.**

† Glen Noronha

**Tuesday, 9 a.m.**

† Shervanthi Rajah

**Wednesday, 9 a.m.**

† Jerry Anthony

† Joseph Ostoma

**Wednesday, 7 p.m.**

TK – Felisa Caburian

† Irene McInnis

† Betty Wendling

**Thursday, 9 a.m.**

SI – Arnaldo Racelis

**Friday, 9a.m.**

SI – Angela Yogaretnam

† Felix Yogaretnam

& Joseph Nesaratnam

**Friday, 7 p.m.**

† Irene McInnis

† Peter Pougnet

† Maria Rocha

† Betty Wendling

† Vincent Gomes

**Saturday, 9 a.m.**

† Christina Paiso

**Saturday, 5 p.m.**

† Wilfred Mendis

Please Pray for our Sick:

Guido Calvano, Oscar Noronha,

Shama Patric

## WEEKLY OFFERTORY

February 22<sup>nd</sup>: 7,969



## *Lenten Parish Mission*

### **REDEMPTORIST LENTEN PARISH MISSION – ST. JEROME'S**

with Fr. Eugene O'Reilly, C.Ss.R.

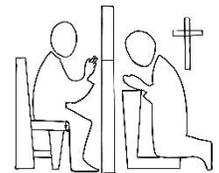
March 9<sup>th</sup> – 11<sup>th</sup> at 7 p.m.

Next Sunday the Mission begins. The Missionary, Fr. Eugene O'Reilly will join us for the weekend of March 7<sup>th</sup>/8<sup>th</sup>, he will preach at all the Sunday Masses and on through this "Sacred Week" in the parish.

Each evening, beginning Monday night, the Mission services will start at 7 p.m. The evening services are scheduled to last approximately one hour. The Mission concludes Wednesday evening with celebrated Mass. A collection will be taken at that Mass.

## **LENTEN DAY OF CONFESSION**

**Wednesday, March 18<sup>th</sup>, 7 – 9 p.m.** is the parish **Day of Confession**. Let us make the journey into the heart of our relationship with God. Take a long, loving look at the ways God calls us to grow. Take this challenge and hold it in readiness for the rich blessing that is manifest in the Sacrament of Reconciliation. Our parish date is:



**Wednesday, March 18<sup>th</sup>, 7-9 p.m.**

(6 guest priests plus Fr. Fraser & Fr. Gomi)

**NO Wednesday evening Mass**



## **2025 TAX DONATION RECEIPTS**

The Archdiocese of Toronto has outsourced the distribution of your 2025 Tax Donation receipts. All 2025 Tax Donation receipts are scheduled to be received in your mailbox on or after **March 2, 2026**.



## **FEAST DAY OF ST. JOSEPH**

We will be celebrating the Feast Day of St. Joseph with an **evening Mass** on **Thursday, March 19<sup>th</sup> at 7 p.m.**



**2026 OFFERTORY ENVELOPES  
WITH NO INFORMATION**

We have a few offertory envelopes being used without any information on the parishioner. If you are using the following envelope number for 2026, please call the parish office to ensure the envelope number is assigned to you for your tax donations receipt.

50	117	255	285	288
312	313	376	436	473
495	565	928	940	

Canada Revenue Agency requires a complete name and complete address for issuing tax donation receipts.

**Please DO NOT use offertory envelopes from past years. Past envelope numbers are deleted each year in January.**

**THROUGH SHARELIFE, YOU BRING HOPE TO THOSE WHO NEED IT MOST**



David is a senior who faced overwhelming loss and uncertainty. His wife passed away, his health declined, and he felt forgotten. But in his deepest sorrow, he found hope. When he turned to his pastor, he was guided to Catholic Family Services of Toronto, a Catholic

Charities agency you support through ShareLife where he was welcomed with open arms. Because of your kindness, David found the support he needed to heal, regain stability, and rediscover his sense of purpose.

But unfortunately, there are many more like him—seniors facing isolation, families struggling to put food on the table, refugees trying to rebuild their lives, and young parents fighting for a brighter future. Through ShareLife, you help over 40 Catholic agencies bring hope to those who need it most.

The first ShareLife Sunday collection is on **March 22<sup>nd</sup>**. Please donate through the parish, using a ShareLife envelope, online through our parish website, or at [sharelife.org/donate](http://sharelife.org/donate).



**STATIONS of the CROSS  
EVERY FRIDAY DURING LENT**

We will meditate on the Stations of the Cross every Friday evening during the Season of Lent *after the 7:00 p.m. Mass.* *All are welcome to attend.*



**LIFT JESUS  
HIGHER RALLY**

**Saturday, March 14<sup>th</sup>**

St. Jerome's CWL is inviting all parishioner to join them on **Saturday March 14, 2026**, at The Metro Toronto Convention Centre for the Lift Jesus Higher Rally. Please join them for this exciting, fun and life changing day of prayer, praise and fellowship.

Details at <https://ljhr.ca/>

Pick-up and drop off at St Jerome's parking lot.

DEPARTURE: Promptly at 7.30 am

COST: \$55.00 Non-Refundable (Covers Transportation and Entrance Fee)

TICKETS: Lenore Nelson, T: 905-783-9838 or Lynda John, T: 647-393-5240



**PILGRIMAGE TO MEDJUGORE**

**July 30 – August 10, 2026**

QPMC Medjugorje Centre Canada is leading a pilgrimage to Medjugorje from **July 30 - August 10, 2026** under the spiritual direction of Fr. Jobin Thomas, Associate Pastor of St Anne's Church, Brampton for a festival of Prayer, Eucharistic Adoration, Holy Mass, Testimonies and Faith Renewal. It is open to pilgrims of all ages who seek renewal, peace and deeper encounter with God. For more information, contact Peter Sui, T: 416-816-6510 or Christina Lau, T: 416-726-8899. Website: <https://bit.ly/qpmedjugorje-20260730-0810>

**LEGION OF MARY ACIES**

Mary, Mother of God Presidium of the Legion of Mary invites all *ACTIVE & AUXILIARY* members to attend the: Annual ACIES on **Saturday, March 21, 2026, at 11 a.m.** St. Francis of Xavier Church, 5650 Mavis Rd, Mississauga

To register please contact Maria Tandoc by email: [sj.legionofmarypraesidium8530@gmail.com](mailto:sj.legionofmarypraesidium8530@gmail.com) or by phone 416 846 5739 before March 13th, 2026  
Cost: Free - Potluck lunch



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